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New Powers Asked for Cleanup Boss

Two Persons Are Killed, 80 Hurt In Tornado Path

Storm Travels Over Four States During Night; Damage High.

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 14. (AP)—Tornadoes tossed destruction into four states last night, leaving two persons known dead, about 80 injured and untold property damage.

Funnel-shaped winds pounced from black and boiling skies in Tennessee, Alabama, Missouri and Arkansas. Hailstorms poured damaging pellets on Mississippi and other states.

A mother, Mrs. Mamie Dotson, 45, was fatally injured and three of her children hurt, one seriously, when a tornado hedge-hopped a zig-zag path through Decherd, Tenn., 80 miles southeast of Nashville.

At least 32 others were injured at Decherd and an estimated 75 homes were damaged. Four cars of a sidetracked freight train were blown off the tracks.

The toll in hard-hit North Alabama was one dead and 27 injured. Numerous houses in rural communities were wrecked.

The winds ripped building apart and wrapped heavy metal telephone cables around trees. Hail as big as baseballs was reported.

A panic-stricken man leaped from a car into the funnel of a tornado near Adamsville, Ala., and was hurled away into the night. He was reported found later, not badly hurt.

Clarence Espy, 50, died when a storm tore his house apart at New Lexington, Ala. He was killed by a falling chimney.

Eight other persons were reported hurt in the same area.

Full Investigation of Vice In McClellan County, Waco Ordered by State Panel

Waco, Feb. 14. (AP)—A full scale investigation of crime in Waco and McLennan County was ordered today by the Texas House of Representatives crime investigating committee.

Two Texas Rangers were in Waco today serving approximately 40 summons to a hearing tomorrow and Saturday at Austin.

Announcement of the investigation was made to the Waco Times-Herald by Rep. Fred Meredith, Terrell, chairman of the committee.

The Waco area thus becomes the second to be singled out by the committee. Late last year an investigation was made of crime and gambling conditions in Galveston and Galveston County.

The surprise order was based on findings of undercover agents who

President Still Undecided About Political Race

Tells Reporters He Is Not Yet Ready to Announce His Plans.

Washington, Feb. 14. (AP)—President Truman said today the question of whether to run for re-election confronts him with a difficult decision.

He told a news conference he is not yet ready to make any announcement, and that when he does have an announcement it will not be made through any third person.

It was the first time in many months the President has indicated there was any indecision in his mind about the matter.

Nearly a year ago he said he had made up his mind but was not ready to announce what he would do.

Today's statement spurred speculation he had meant he had made up his mind what he would do under certain circumstances.

The President would not say what questions he is debating in his mind that are causing the difficulty.

On the Republican side, there were signs that same backers of General Eisenhower for the GOP nomination are beginning to doubt he will get it unless he returns to the U. S. and enters an active political role.

There was a question of this view in a statement by Senator Morse (R-Ore) today that Eisenhower should consider it "much more" important to be elected President than to remain in Europe as commander of the North Atlantic defense forces.

Many of Truman's recent news conferences have been given over largely to sparring with the reporters about his political intentions.

Insurance Credit Rating Received

Oklahoma, for 10 years. A big, hearty, grey-eyed, broad-smiling man, Dr. Briggs has spent most of his life as a school teacher and administrator.

In addressing the kick-off dinner at 5 p. m. Sunday, Dr. Briggs will officially launch the general solicitation of the local church in its drive to collect \$130,000 for the erection of a new church building. Advance solicitation started this week under the leadership of Judge A. D. Green and his special gifts committee.

Hollis Miller, general chairman of the campaign, urged every member of the solicitation committee to be present for the kick-off dinner. The dinner is for the workers and their wives.

The remaining schedule for the fund campaign calls for a first report meeting on Thursday, February 21; a second report on Monday, February 25; and a victory dinner for the entire congregation on Thursday, February 28.

Rev. Kenneth L. Teegarden, pastor of the church, announced that the general public was invited to hear Dr. Briggs at the evening service Sunday night at 7 o'clock. A special invitation was extended to all members of the local Lions Club to hear their former international executive.



DR. E. S. BRIGGS

Vernon Resident Dies at Dallas

Mrs. Jennie Pearl Bolton, 68, resident of Vernon for a number of years, died in a Dallas hospital Wednesday night following a long illness. Mrs. Bolton resided at 1100 Turner Street.

Funeral plans, under direction of the Underwood Funeral Home of Vernon are incomplete.

Surviving relatives include four daughters, Mrs. T. W. Henry of Vernon, Mrs. Annie Thomas, Mrs. Truett Knowles and Mrs. Buck Nix, all of Dallas; three sons, T. M. Lidster of Vernon, Johnny Lidster and Herbert Lidster, both of Dallas.

Weather

Temperature readings for the past 24-hour period ending at noon Thursday:

Maximum 69 degrees
Minimum 40 degrees
Wind reading 52 degrees

Forecast: Partly cloudy and cooler this afternoon with near freezing temperatures tonight. Friday partly cloudy and cool.

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Insect Control Meet Scheduled

Control measures used in combatting cotton insects will be the chief topic of a meeting to be held in the Wilbarger County Courtroom tonight at 7:30. K. P. Ewing, USDA entomologist from the Waco Experiment Station, will present the latest research on cotton insects to the group, and show slides to illustrate the work done at Waco.

George Davis, area entomologist, who was Wilbarger County entomologist last year, will review the work and results of the insect control program in the county in 1951.

Hearing Mr. Ewing, an outstanding authority on cotton insects, will be of benefit to all the farmers in this area, according to Wilbarger County Agent Frank Wendt, who is asking every cotton farmer who can to attend the meeting.

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Edwin Smith Found Insane At Murder Trial Held Here

A 46th District Court jury deliberated only five minutes Thursday before finding Edwin L. Smith insane at the time of the shooting of John Williams, Negro shoe repairman, and insane at the present time.

Smith had been charged with murder in the Jan. 30 pistol slaying of Williams in a Vernon shoe repair shop. He had been indicted by the grand jury this week.

Smith will be certified to the Wilbarger County Court by Judge Jesse Owens and that body will then commit the 35-year-old Vernon man to a state institution.

District Attorney Leon Douglas pointed out that Smith could not be released from such institution until he was again tried for sanity by a Wilbarger County court.

By being adjudged insane at the time of the offense, Smith can never be tried for murder in

connection with the slaying of Williams, Douglas stated.

R. D. Oswalt, defense attorney, filed an affidavit of insanity for the defendant before Judge Jesse Owens shortly after the trial opened Thursday morning.

The hearing on affidavit of insanity at the time of the offense and at the present time was then held before the court and a 12-man jury.

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DEMOLISHED BY BLAST

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New Plan To Swap POW Is Under Study

Tells Reporters He Is Not Yet Ready to Announce His Plans.

Munson, Korea, Feb. 14. (AP)—Communist truce negotiators presented a new prisoner exchange plan today incorporating some Allied ideas but clinging to their own demand for forced repatriation.

The Allies repeatedly have said they won't turn a single prisoner back to the Reds against their will.

The Communists have another new plan. It was drafted for the final clause of a Korean armistice. It will be unveiled Saturday before a full dress session of truce negotiators. The meeting was set for 10 a. m. (8 p. m. Friday EST).

Originally the Communists suggested a three-point recommendation for a high-level post-armistice conference: (1) withdrawal of all foreign troops from Korea; (2) settlement of the Korean peace, and (3) settlement of other Asian problems related to the Korean question.

The U. N. agreed in principle to the first two, but balked at discussing problems other than those directly connected with the Korean War.

The board acted in a dispute between the railroads and 17 unions representing all rail workers who are not employed on moving trains.

The three man panel held that the union shop is "now a common technique in labor contracts in American industry generally."

The board said a Government survey showed over 70 per cent of workers now covered by labor agreements have the union shop.

The board's finding is discretionary with the railroads. They do not have to accept the union shop. But a board member told reporters major railroads have never rejected an emergency board's recommendations.

The panel has been considering the issue for weeks.

Unusual Tax Refund Case Is Reported

Washington, Feb. 14. (AP)—Senators Williams (R-Del) told the Senate today an Indianapolis brewing firm got a \$35,000 tax refund instead of a back tax bill for \$636,000 after it hired Joseph D. Nunan, Jr., as its lawyer.

Nunan is a former Commissioner of Internal Revenue. He quit the top Federal tax post June 30, 1947, to engage in the private practice of law. His office is in New York City.

While rules of the Internal Revenue Bureau restrict practice before it by former employees, Williams said in a Senate speech Nunan got a special waiver March 28, 1949, to represent the Indianapolis Brewing Company in a tax case. He quoted the waiver as saying that while the case had been pending when Nunan was Commissioner, he had not personally considered it.

The credit or debit rating is set by the State Fire Insurance Commission to determine fire insurance rates for a city. The 10 credit rating means that Vernon residents will save that percentage on fire insurance rates in the city during 1952.

The credit rating last year was 15. Fire losses of almost \$84,000 in the city during 1951 caused the slight decrease.

Fire Chief L. H. Howell said that he was "very pleased" with the 1952 rating. He said that in view of the heavy losses during 1951 the rating could have been lower.

Houston, Feb. 14. (AP)—Eighty AFL maintenance men at Trans-Texas Airways went on strike early today but flight schedules were being maintained.

Contract negotiations which began Monday were at a standstill, P. S. Reid, assistant vice president in charge of operations, said.

Pickets were stationed at the company hangar at the Houston Municipal Airport, but company officials foresaw no disruption of schedules.

A Trans-Texas flight to Brownsville left Houston on schedule at 7:40 a. m., Reid reported.

The line has five inbound and five outbound flights daily at Houston.

Sam Hare, airline employee chairman for Local 744, International Association of Machinists, said the union struck after management balked at including a union shop issue during negotiations for a package agreement.

Supervisory personnel were standing by at Houston, headquarters for the airline, to fill in the maintenance jobs, Reid said.

Tickets will be on sale at the door.

YOUNG MAN KILLED

Houston, Feb. 14. (AP)—En route from a Valentine party, one young man was killed and a second critically injured today in an accident in which their car overturned six times. Killed on his way home from the party was Wayne Lee Lilja, 26, a Houston Transit Company bus driver. Critically injured was Edward Eugene Akin, 19, Joe Lansdale, 22, a truck driver, earlier was crushed to death in the cab of his telescopized truck.

CONDITION CRITICAL

Fort Hood, Feb. 14. (AP)—Pfc. John Lambdin, Anthras, Tenn., was killed yesterday when his car crashed into an embankment near Burnet, Texas. He was stationed at Lometa, Texas, for Fourth Army field exercises. Mrs. Elva Mae Snider, Llano, Texas, a passenger, was seriously injured.

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Britain Makes Final Plans To Bury Her Dead Monarch

London, Feb. 14. (AP)—The little town of Windsor boarded up the windows along its narrow main street against the expected crowds.

—Twenty-five thousand Britons patiently lined up in cold and slush outside Westminster Hall to pass in homage before the flag-draped, jewel-topped coffin.

—The Elder Brother reportedly asked his queen-niece for permission to stand honor guard beside the body of the man who filled the throne he gave away.

Thus Britain made final preparations to bury her late King George VI.

It was the last of three days' lying-in-state in the cold stone hall of Westminster. Tomorrow morning the King's body will be taken to Windsor Castle for burial beside the remains of many of his predecessors on the British throne.

The Duke of Windsor—ex-king Edward VIII, who left the throne for love of an American divorcee, was in an unprecedented historical situation.

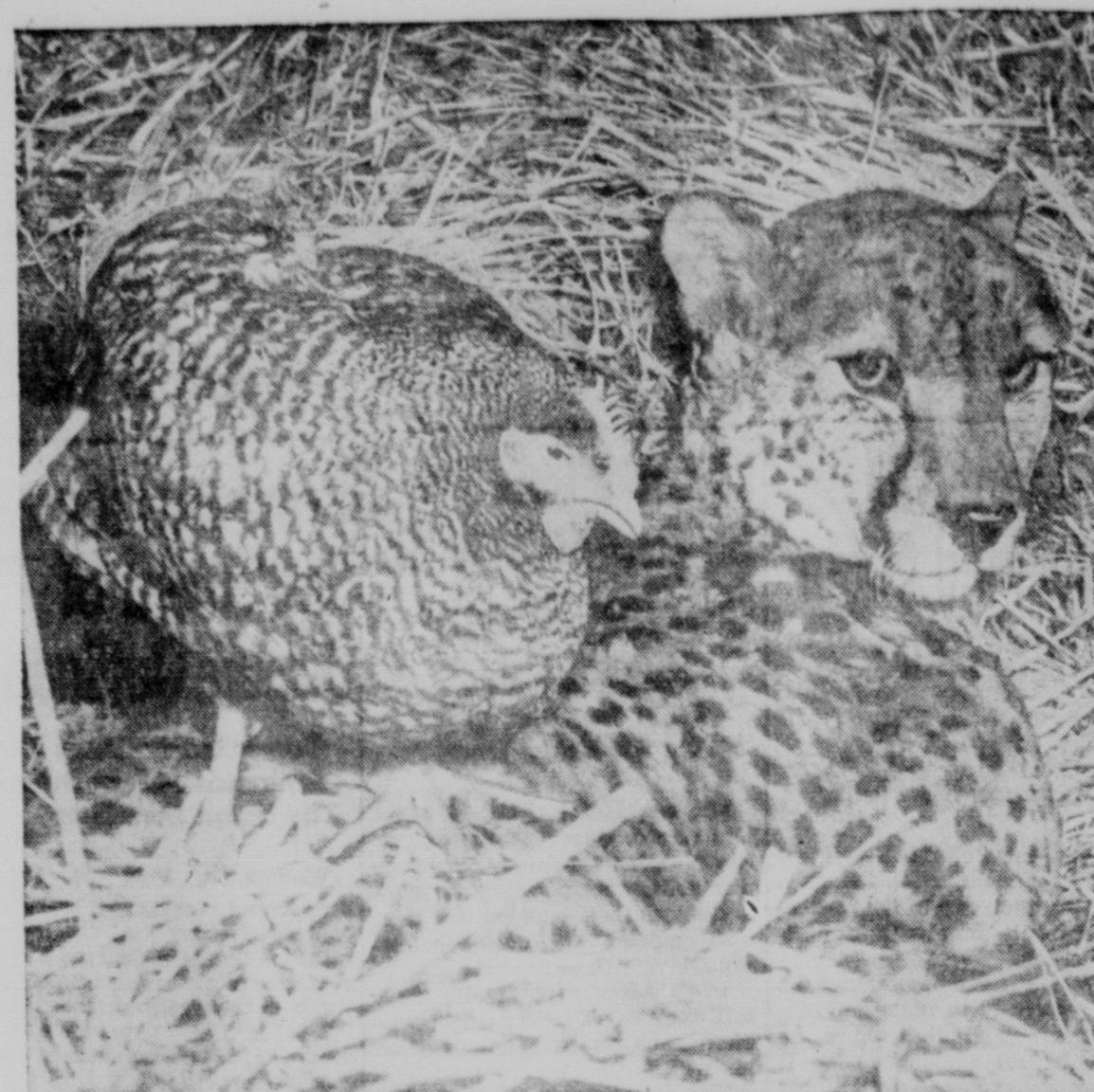
He is the first king of England to attend the funeral of the man who succeeded him on the throne.

Unconfirmed reports in London said he suggested to his mother that he be allowed to stand a turn as honor guard. Queen Mary, 84-year-old widow and mother of sovereigns, reportedly sent him to her granddaughter, the new Queen Elizabeth, to seek the permission only the sovereign could grant.

If Elizabeth approves, Windsor and his only remaining brother, the Duke of Gloucester, along with the Queen's husband, the Duke of Edinburgh, reportedly would stand a ceremonial 20-minute guard alongside the coffin later today.

George VI's sons stood such a guard at his lying-in-state.

Today was the last day for Britons to pay formal homage to the sovereign who, since his death



BIDING HIS TIME—A cheetah is a particular cat on things pertaining to his diet. These wild animals from India enjoy a good chicken dinner every day in the year, but this one obviously wasn't hungry when the photo was taken at a wild animal exhibit in Chicago. However, that chumminess between the cheetah and the chicken was undoubtedly short-lived.

homage to his dead brother last night.

He went to the bier with his adopted mother and his sister, Mary, the Princess Royal. The twin lines of public mourners were halted.

Queen Mary, wearing deep mourning and carrying a tightly-rolled umbrella, advanced slowly toward the bier of her son, the third of her five boys to die before her.

A pace behind her came the Duke. The Queen Grandmother stopped, and as her gaze passed to the coffin her lips moved silently, perhaps in prayer. She touched a handkerchief to her eyes.

Windsor stepped forward and took his mother's arm for a moment.

Then he dropped to one knee near the catafalque and put his head down upon his right hand. A minute later he arose.

But the Queen Grandmother, her eldest son and her daughter stood silently for another moment, then Windsor again sank slowly to his left knee and bowed his head. After several minutes he again arose, and as the three family mourners reached the stone archway of departure, they turned for one more look at the coffin.

The slow file of mourners began again their shuffle past the coffin.

Lafayette Square in Washington, D. C., is named for the Marquis de Lafayette.



Airborne War Games Explained

Camp Drum, N. Y., Feb. 14. (AP)—Airborne operations are fitted into the Army's plans as a method of winning a battle, but not necessarily a war.

This is the purpose of the maneuvers in "exercise snowfall," to improve upon the tactics and equipment of a type of fighting that has helped defeat enemies in World War II and the Korean conflict.

Exercise snowfall is training in a particular part of a specialized phase of war—the art of putting down soldiers into an Arctic battle area from the air, by parachute or by transport plane, and then keeping them supplied and equipped by the same method.

This exercise involves more paratroopers than any operation since the big combat "jumps" of

ANOTHER ONE FOR ELIZABETH—Here is where the Miami-bound National Airlines DC-6, with 62 adults and two or three infants aboard, crashed with a death toll of 30 two minutes after attempting to take off from the Elizabeth, N. J., Airport. The plane hit a 60-unit apartment house (1), burning out the top floor, then part of the wreckage crashed into the play-yard of an orphanage (2) while the tail section landed in the street further on (3).

men in World War II. An entire division, the 11th Airborne of Fort Campbell, Ky., is taking part in these war games.

What is learned here may be critically important if war with Soviet Union should demand that Americans fight in Russian Winter.

Airborne strategists say a paratroop force has a high potential value, even if it is not actually committed to action.

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RELEASE 100 HORNETS

Rome, Feb. 14. (AP)—Pro-Fascist students released 100 hornets today during a lecture at Rome University of Prof. Umberto Calosso. Calosso, who spoke for Italy from BBC studios in London during World War II, has been under attack by pro-Fascist students for some time. Last month he was smeared with red paint while leaving the university.

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Dust Storm Moves Into Louisiana

(By The Associated Press)
Texas palmed off its latest dust storm on Louisiana today and settled back for more mild weather—dry, of course.

In the early morning hours the dust haze rolled across the Sabine River and began fertilizing Louisiana with some of West Texas' best top soil.

Winds dropped to a whisper in the Panhandle and far west and visibility lifted in East Texas as the dust moved on. Around midnight Dallas and Fort Worth visibility fell to three miles. It was four miles a little later at Tyler.

The U. S. Weather Bureau said the passing of the cool front left little chance for rain in arid areas. Yesterday light rains fell in Dallhart, Texarkana and Waco. Beaumont and Corpus Christi got their moisture in the form of heavy ground fog.

The high afternoon temperature yesterday was 85 degrees at La-redo.

FINED \$500

Dallas, Feb. 14. (AP)—George M. Morris, president of a Kansas City grain storage company, was fined \$500 and given a six-month probated jail sentence yesterday on bribery charges. He was charged with giving money to Stephen G. Benit Jr., former official of the Dallas Production and Marketing Commodity Office. Benit was fined \$500 and received a suspended sentence Tuesday for bribe taking. Government attorneys said the payments were intended to insure that Benit would see that Morris' Shawnee, Okla., warehouse continued to receive government grain storage business.

Damage by Dam Offset by Pumps

Brownsville, Feb. 14. (AP)—A shutdown of irrigation pumps between Los Fresnos and Brownsville took care of an earthen dam Mexican workers had thrown up across the Rio Grande.

Workers from the Mexico side of the river built the dam after the City of Matamoros, across the river from Brownsville, became seriously short of water. Farmers on the U. S. side of the river protested.

After the shutdown yesterday the water flow increased until it swept over the dam and on toward the El Jardin water district which has been without water for irrigation purposes for 30 days.

E. I. Gilson, manager of the water district, said the situation should improve rapidly now for farmers in the arid area.

At one time yesterday the flow in the river reached 21 cubic feet of water per second. Mexican workers tried unsuccessfully to build up the dam and hold back the water.

In Mexico yesterday Mexico's minister of hydraulic resources, Adolfo Orive Alba, said he would discuss the problem of Matamoros' water supply directly with the U. S.-Mexico Water Commission.

He said the problem will solve itself late in March when the first irrigation period is finished in the El Azucar region. When this area has enough water for planting, a supply of 5,544 gallons per second can be turned into the Rio Grande for the supply of both the U. S. and Mexican sides.

TO ATTEND FESTIVITIES

Austin, Feb. 14. (AP)—Gov. Al Shivers plans to attend George Washington Birthday festivities in Laredo Feb. 21 and 22, his office reported today.

Congressional Approval of UMT Bill Is Being Forecast

Washington, Feb. 14. (AP)—Chairman Russell (D-Ga.) of the Senate armed services committee today predicted congressional approval of a broad system of Universal Military Training (UMT).

While conceding some lawmakers were wavering in the face of vocal opposition by churchmen and others, Russell said:

"I can't conceive of the Senate rejecting this bill."

"UMT is the only apparent solution of the problem of giving this country adequate security without the risk of national bankruptcy."

He told reporters he believes House approval also is certain. "It is my sincere hope we can have a modest start on UMT this calendar year," he said, "and that we'll have it on a substantial basis within 12 months."

Russell said he hoped to wind up public hearings today with testimony by 18 witnesses and send the bill on to the Senate "some time next week."

He said he probably will not

call for a vote until the House has acted "provided that is no later than the middle of March."

Chairman Vinson (D-Ga.) of the House armed services group, which already has approved a UMT bill, planned action in the House the week of Feb. 25.

Donald P. Wilson, national commander of the American Legion, topped the list of final witnesses before the Senate group today. He favors UMT.

Others include spokesmen for the American Farm Bureau Federation, National Socialist Party and Church and Educational groups.

Spokesmen for Veterans, National Guard and Reserve Associations urged speedy passage of the measure yesterday.

BEATEN TO DEATH

Amarillo, Feb. 14. (AP)—A. W. Nunn, 74, died last night several hours after he was found beaten in his small grocery store. Officers said two coffee cans, in which Nunn kept change, had been emptied.

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Markets

Markets at A Glance

New York, Feb. 14. (AP)—STOCKS—lower; rails and steels decline.

BONDS—Corporates lower; Governments firm.

COTTON—firm; trade buying.

Chicago:

WHEAT—weak; March down most.

CORN—easy; lack of demand.

OATS—easy with corn.

HOGS—steady to 25 cents higher; top \$18.50.

CATTLE—unevenly 50 cents higher to 50 lower.

Beef Ribs

Wife of Slain Man Testifies

Centerville, Feb. 14. (AP)—Mrs. G. W. Langham described in court here yesterday the involved disagreement over a painting bill that took place before her husband was fatally shot June 22, 1951.

Dr. Thomas C. Cole, Huntsville physician, is on trial charged with murder in the shooting.

Mrs. Langham said on cross examination that her husband, a Huntsville painting contractor, had contracted to paint Dr. Cole's new home and the painting was done in August, 1950.

She said the original contract called for \$1,840, but a bill of \$146.50 was sent for extras.

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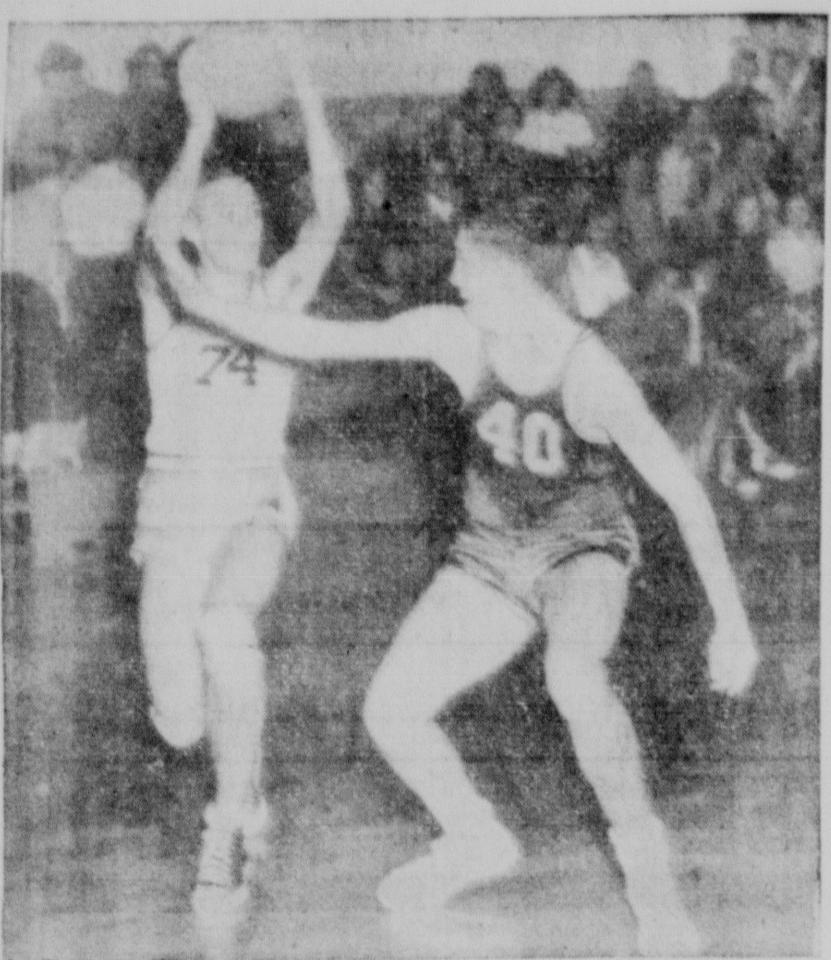
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Sports



Two Contests Are Slated On Saturday

Vernon Lion fans will get a look at the class of District 1-AAA cage teams Friday night when the champion Lamesa Tornadoes move in for the next-to-last game of the season for the Lions.

The Lions will be host to the Midland Bulldogs Saturday night to wind up the 1-AAA season. The Vernon B Squad will play Oklawau in a preliminary game Saturday night starting at 6:15.

The Tornadoes have 16 wins and 9 losses for the season—eight of the wins have been consecutive in 1-AAA play.

Don Stevens, leading scorer in District 1-AAA, has posted 322 points for the season. Ramon Towry paces the Lion scorers with 216 points. Stevens has been in 25 games and Towry has appeared in 20 games.

The Lamesa starting quintet includes Center Carlos Berry, Forwards Don Stevens and Johnny Randolph and Guards Jerry Millsaps and Ray Taylor or Jerry Howell. All are seniors except Berry.

Lamesa has an 8-0 record in district play and have already won the championship. Vernon has posted a 3-5 district mark.

LAMESA . . . TOP SCORER IN ACTION—Don Stevens, Lamesa's high-scoring ace, left, is encountering difficulty in attempting a shot from guarding by Plainview's Wayne Taylor. The action took place in a recent game. Lamesa has clinched the District 1-AAA title. The Tornadoes meet the Lions here Friday night.

Texas Open Golf Tourney Moves Into First Round

San Antonio, Feb. 14. (P)—A field of 169 moved out today in the first round of the 25th Texas Open Golf Tournament. There was no outstanding favorite, a situation that has prevailed all along the winter tournament trail this year.

The reason is obvious—there have been six tournaments and six different winners.

Top players absent include Cary Middlecoff, Memphis, Tenn., the year's leading money winner and victor at El Paso last week-end, and E. J. Harrison, St. Andrews, Ill., last year's Texas Open champion. Middlecoff has gone home for some hay fever shots. Harrison is out with a back injury.

But practically all of the others

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Vernon, Lamesa Clash Here on Friday

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Off the Record

By Bill Werley
Sports Editor



Yesterday, I brought you my views on the signing of Harold "Spot" Collins as head coach at Vernon High School.

Today, I would like to bring you excerpts from two letters written to the School Board concerning the ability of Collins.

One comes from a fellow well known here. He is former Breckenridge High School coach and now assistant coach at Texas University—Eck Curtis.

Of Collins, Curtis says:

"The service record of Spot Collins is almost fantastic and truly almost unsurpassed, both in World War II and the Korean conflict. He began at the University of Texas in the Marine Reserves as a private and now has reached the rank of captain.

"I know of no person more endowed with competitive spirit than Spot Collins. He is at his best when the going is tough. His inspired leadership as a player at Breckenridge High School gave us great success athletically.

"I feel that he can do an excellent job anywhere he might be located. He can stand on his own feet regardless of competition."

Then comes the following letter from H. C. "Bully" Gilstrap, also an assistant coach at the University of Texas:

"Measuring morale, spirit, determination and leadership, Spot Collins is one of the best athletes I have ever had the pleasure of coaching.

"His military record, which I am sure you are interested in, has been outstanding. He has done our country a great service and is capable of doing a great service for young men under him in his coaching profession.

"If I had the responsibility of hiring a young man to coach my son on a high school team, I know of no one I had rather hire than Spot Collins."

There you have two recommendations from men who know football and know coaches.

They have revealed that Spot Collins has all of the requirements of being a great coach.

A brilliant military record, a brilliant record as a player, a brilliant coaching record—and I hope a brilliant record at Vernon in 1952.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 14. (P)—Bradley University's basketball team, in the midst of recession from the heights of previous seasons, regained the old touch last night and set back highly-favored St. Louis University, 61-60.

Pickings haven't been exactly meagre for the Peoria Braves this season. It was the second time they had knocked over the Billikens, the previous victory coming at St. Louis in a double overtime, 57-56. The Braves now boast a respectable 14 won, 10 lost record.

It was the fifth defeat for the Billikens, who lead the Missouri Valley Conference with six straight victories. Their overall season record is 17-5.

Games such as last night's thrilling conquest of St. Louis, ranked seventh nationally in the Associated Press poll, have been rare this year for Bradley.

In the three previous seasons, Bradley won 91 games and lost only 19. And the Braves were picked tops in the country at the end of the 1949-50 season in the AP poll.

Coach Fordy Anderson of Bradley, rebuilding this year after pre-season involvement of much of last year's squad in the bribing scandal, found a hero last night in Harvey Babetch, freshman substitute.

Babetch entered the game in the last few minutes and it was his basket and free throw which broke a 58-58 tie, providing Bradley's last three points and the margin of victory. A subsequent goal by the Billikens' Fred Kovar narrowed the gap.

Princeton surprised Columbia, 70-63, to become a strong contender for the Ivy League title. First place Cornell, unbeaten in league competition, won its sixth straight by swamping Harvard, 69-44.

In other games Georgia Tech downed Auburn, 58-50; LaSalle crushed Penn, 74-58; Florida took Georgia, 74-60; New Mexico beat Arizona State (Flagstaff), 74-56, and San Jose State nipped San Francisco, 41-40.

LOOKS FOR GAMES

Lefors, Feb. 14. (P)—Coach Bob Callan of Lefors High School says his football team needs Class A or AA opponents for two games on Sept. 12, Oct. 10 or Oct. 24.

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Second Place Play-Off Set Between Harrold, Lockett

The play-off for the second place trophy in District 28-B opens tonight at Harrold between the Hornets and the Lockett Panthers.

The Hornets and the Panthers finished the season with identical 6-4 records. Harrold lost to Valley View twice, Oklawau and to Lockett. Lockett dropped two to the champion Valley View team, one to Odell and one to Harrold.

The second game of the series will be played at Lockett on Tuesday night with the third, if necessary, scheduled for the following Tuesday night (Feb. 25) on a neutral court.

The second place winner will receive a district trophy.

El Paso Leads Gloves With Five Team Points

Fort Worth, Feb. 14. (P)—El Paso led with five points in the team title race in the State Gold Glove tournament.

Amarillo, Corpus Christi and Commerce were tied for second with three points.

Other cities and their point totals included Dallas and Tyler two each, Austin, Brownwood, Beaumont, Odessa, Wichita Falls and Houston one each.

COLT SLATE TRY-OUT

San Angelo, Feb. 14. (P)—The San Angelo club of the Longhorn Baseball League has scheduled a try-out camp in Victoria Feb. 29-March 2.

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TWO ACTION FEATURES

Last Times Today

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"Retreat, Hell!" Here Thursday

An all-Texas premiere of the new U. S. Pictures production for Warner Bros., "Retreat, Hell!" in honor of Texas-born Marine Corps Maj. Gen. O. P. Smith, will be held throughout the Lone Star State beginning Feb. 14 as a tribute to the fighting exploits of the First Marine Division in the battle of the Chosin Reservoir and the break-out to the sea at Hungnam in North Korea. It was General Smith, commanding the division, who made the comment destined to go down in American history, "Retreat, Hell! We are just attacking in a different direction." It will start at the Vernon Theatre Thursday for three days.

General Smith is now the commanding general at Camp Pendleton, Calif., where "Retreat, Hell!" was filmed with the co-operation of the Marine Corps. Frank Lovejoy, Richard Carlson, Rusty Tamblyn and Anita Louise have the starring roles in the motion picture. Hundreds of Marine veterans of the Korean fighting participated in the battle sequences depicted in the production, for which Capt. Richard S. Read, a Purple Heart survivor of the Chosin action, was the technical advisor. Included in the cast were Peter Ortiz, a colonel in the Marine Corps reserve and one of World War II's most decorated fighting men, Mort Thompson, a Marine captain in World War II, and Joseph Keans, who was mustered out of the Marine Corps just in time to put the uniform on again as an actor.

AFTER GHOST
Copenhagen, Denmark, Feb. 14. (AP)—An annoyed committee of parliament today appointed a guard to be armed with the "biggest truncheon to be found in the country" to lay low the ghost that has been haunting Christiansborg Castle. The ghost has turned on lights in committee rooms when no one is present. Mysterious sounds of coughing are heard in the night. On occasions an old alarm bell is rung, bringing firemen to the castle-seat of the Danish House of Parliament—in early morning hours.



Korean Front—Frank Lovejoy, Rusty Tamblyn and Richard Carlson in a scene from the new film, "Retreat, Hell!" a U. S. Pictures production for Warner Bros.

Texas Ranges in Poor Condition

Austin, Feb. 14. (AP)—Texas range feed is at the lowest condition level in 17 years, the United States Department of Agriculture reported today.

Condition as of Feb. 1 was rated at 61 per cent. Not since the 1934-35 period of severe drought and dust storms has it dipped so low. The 10-year average is 78 per cent.

Over the eastern third of the state, moisture from scattered showers along with warm January weather was bringing along much needed small grain, clovers and winter grass. In the northwest moisture from the early January sleet and snow temporarily revived wheat, but moisture was again needed to maintain development.

In all other areas, ranges were reported practically bare and heavy supplemental feeding has been necessary. Settling dust from the early February dust storm lowered palatability of the hot dry grass which was still available.

General rains are urgently

needed to bring on new green feed, USDA said.

Cattle were holding up primarily because of heavy supplemental feeding and the unusually warm January weather. Most farmers and ranchmen reduced herds during the fall and are now reconciled to large feed bills to carry present herds. They are hoping for spring rains to start new feed.

Condition of all cattle was reported at 74 per cent, one point below a month ago and five points below the 10-year average.

RELEASED ON BOND

Lufkin, Feb. 14. (AP)—Hollis Perry, an officer in a local dry goods store, has been released under \$2,000 bond on a charge of intent to murder filed after a shooting here yesterday. Police Chief George W. Powell, who arrested Perry, said the shooting took place at a meeting of the store's directors Monday. Powell said Perry allegedly fired a bullet from a foreign-made pistol at John S. Redditt, former State Highway Commission chairman, who is now general counsel for the store. Redditt was not hit, Powell said. The cause of the shooting was not reported.

CLOSED BY STRIKE

Mexico City, Feb. 14. (AP)—A printers strike closed 25 of the capital's leading job shops today. The strikers are asking wage increases and modifications in their new labor contracts. The strike began at midnight, involving about 800 print shop employees. Another 1,500 printers in 73 other city shops pledged one day's pay to the strike fund.

STUDY UNDER WAY

Temple, Feb. 14. (AP)—U. S. Senator Lyndon Johnson says his Senate "watchdog" committee is now studying the quantity and quality of equipment being produced for the armed forces. Johnson hopes to make a public report about the

middle of March on the findings. The Senator arrived here last night by plane from Washington for the meeting today of directors of the Scott and White Hospital.

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2 tablespoons flour onion
1 teaspoon salt 1 cup condensed
1/2 teaspoon pepper vegetable soup
1/2 tablespoons water 1/2 cup water
hot fat 1/2 cup Pet Milk

Roll chops in mixture of flour, salt and pepper. Brown on both sides in fat. Push meat to side of skillet; add onion. Sprinkle any flour that is left over onion. Cook slowly until onion is light brown. Drain off any fat left in skillet. Add soup and water. Cover and cook over low heat 30 minutes, or until chops are tender. Remove chops to warm platter. Stir milk into soup mixture. Heat until steaming hot, but do not boil. Serve with the chops. Makes 4 servings.

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Forgotten Man in Korea Is ation's Valentine Today

By HAL BOYLE

ampa, Fla., Feb. 14. (AP)—The American fighting man in Korea is the nation's Valentine today, but he is pretty much taken for granted. And the war he is engaged in is less on the lips of his countrymen than the subject of national politics.

Traveling about the country you cannot help being struck at how much talk there is about the coming election, and very little there is about the conflict in Korea.

The weary months of truce negotiations, the long and intricate bickering over terms for a cease-fire, have more and more eased Korean stalemate into the background of the national consciousness.

It is truly becoming a "forgotten war." An officer's wife who recently turned with her husband from tour of duty in the Far East said:

"The war seemed very close and real when we were stationed in Japan. We kept busy working in the hospitals where they brought the wounded from Korea. When I first came home I was glad at the lack of interest shown

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here in the war. But now days go by, and I don't even read about it myself. Isn't that a shameful thing to have to admit?"

It is a terrible thing, but a very normal human reaction. The farther away a war is, the longer it drags on, the less you think about it unless you have someone dear to you involved in it.

Among those who do discuss the war there is a growing, bewildered anger. There is a kind of vague clamor for more drastic action.

"I think it's time for us to quit being Russia's puppet," said a manufacturer. "Why don't we march into Manchuria and end it?"

Why not march into Manchuria? Many infantry leaders feel it would only mire us more deeply in ruffed Oriental landscape, where we might suffer millions of more casualties without achieving a final military decision.

They fear this would only widen the area of stalemate and spread our resources more thinly, opening a wound we couldn't close without a tremendous third world war.

The American soldier will have a lonely time this Valentine's Day, holding a nameless hill in a half-forgotten war the folks back home don't even like to talk about much any more.

LOW BIDDER NAMED

Fort Worth, Feb. 14. (AP)—A parent low bidder on a 300-unit public housing project for Negroes here came from Brunson-White Associates of Dallas. The firm bid \$2,159,706.



FAREWELL TO A KING—A

large but silent crowd watch in sorrow as the gun carriage bearing the body of King George VI, surrounded by an honor guard and followed by the Duke of Gloucester and the Duke of Edinburgh in civilian clothes, leaves Sandringham for London where the body will lie in state until Feb. 15.

Industry Profits Said Overstated

New York, Feb. 14. (AP)—A steel

company official today said CIO economists' "overstated" industry profits by not making the same allowances for 1951 values that the union used in computing steelworkers' wages.

Frank Purnell, chairman of the

board of Youngstown Sheet and Tube Company, made the statement as hearings resumed before a special six-man panel of the Wage Stabilization Board.

Goal of the panel is a formula to avert a threatened strike of 650,000 CIO United Steelworkers Feb. 24. The hearings have been in recess since Saturday.

In the contract dispute, the union is seeking an 18½-cent-an-hour wage increase and improvements in "fringe benefits," such as holiday, vacation, overtime and night differential.

Purnell said in a prepared statement that Youngstown's "real net profits" in 1951 would be 3.9 per cent of "adjusted net worth" if the union applied a 1951 yardstick.

However, Purnell said, the CIO economists do not change the net profit and net worth figures and

calculate Youngstown's 1951 profit at 10.7 per cent.

"The union quite properly insists upon translating the dollars received into terms of 'real' wages," he added. "Admittedly, it does not profit a man to receive more dollars if those dollars will not buy more things."

"But the union completely refuses to make parallel corrections for the earnings of the employing company."

RANCHER FOUND DEAD

San Angelo, Feb. 14. (AP)—Clifton Wilson, 45, Eden, Texas, rancher, was found dead in a pasture near here yesterday, his face beaten and his throat slashed.

Murder charges were filed against Johnnie Farmer, 34, San Angelo. Farmer had not been arrested yet.

Murder Suspect 'Dies' in Jail

Kingsville, Feb. 14. (AP)—A migrant, 68, held on a charge of murder, died last night in a jail cell shortly after leading officers to \$2,670 hidden in his junk-filled trailer home.

Sheriff Jim Scarborough said J. L. Powers fell and struck his head on the floor of the cell. The Sheriff said Powers had been treated by physician recently for a heart ailment.

Justice of the Peace T. A. Simmons, Jr., withheld a verdict.

Powers was arrested after Frank Zapata, 45, was shot fatally and Lawrence Freeman, 50, was critically injured at the trailer park. He led officers to his trailer, which they said was filled with junk.

Officers found the money in three tin cans buried in the floorboards of the trailer and in a hand made chest. The money apparently had been hidden for some time.

Notice is hereby given that the arrangement is still subsisting between Clyde L. Smith and Dale Hall under the trade name and style of North Texas Glass and Mirror Company, has been dissolved. All debts owing to the concern are to be received by the said Clyde L. Smith and all demands on the concern are to be presented to him for liquidation.

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STAGE PROTEST

Brussels, Feb. 14. (AP)—Socialists and Liberals stalked out of the House and Senate for the second day in succession today in protest against King Baudouin's decision not to attend King George's funeral in Britain. The Socialists and Liberals announced they would boycott all Parliament meetings until after the funeral of King George. During a debate before today's walkout, Social Christian Premier Jean Van Houtte was repeatedly called a liar.

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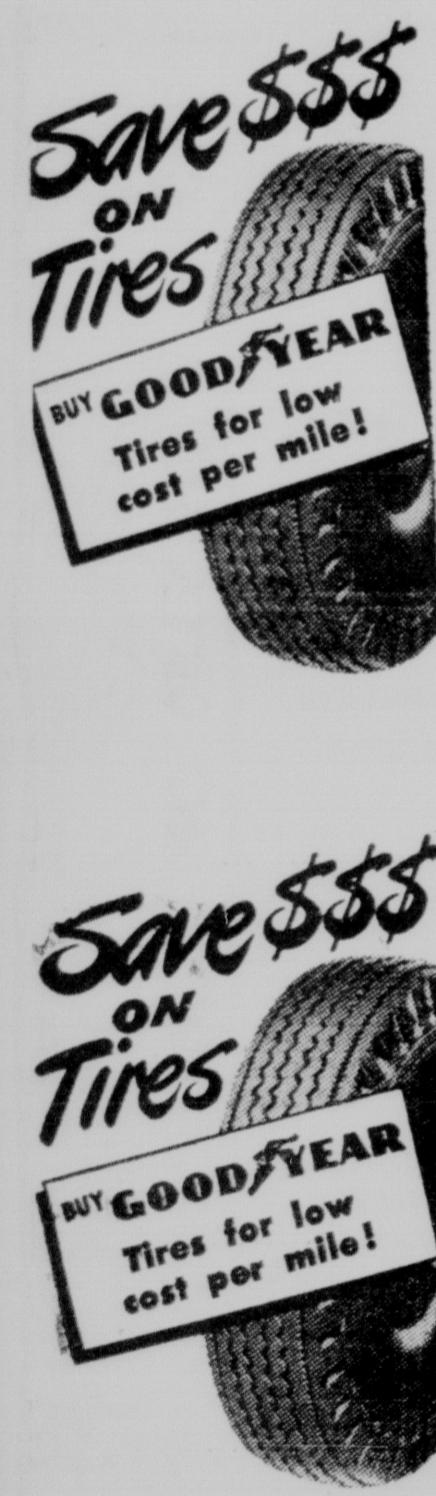


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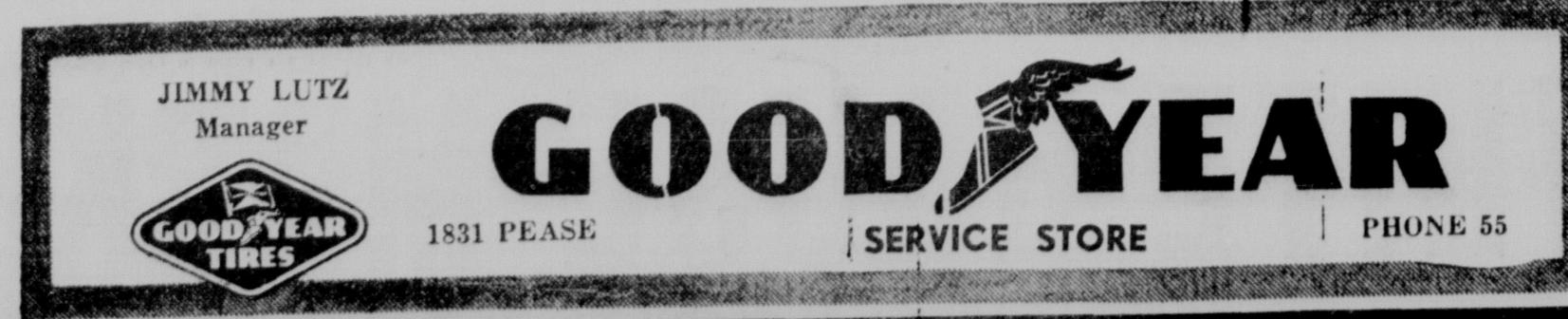
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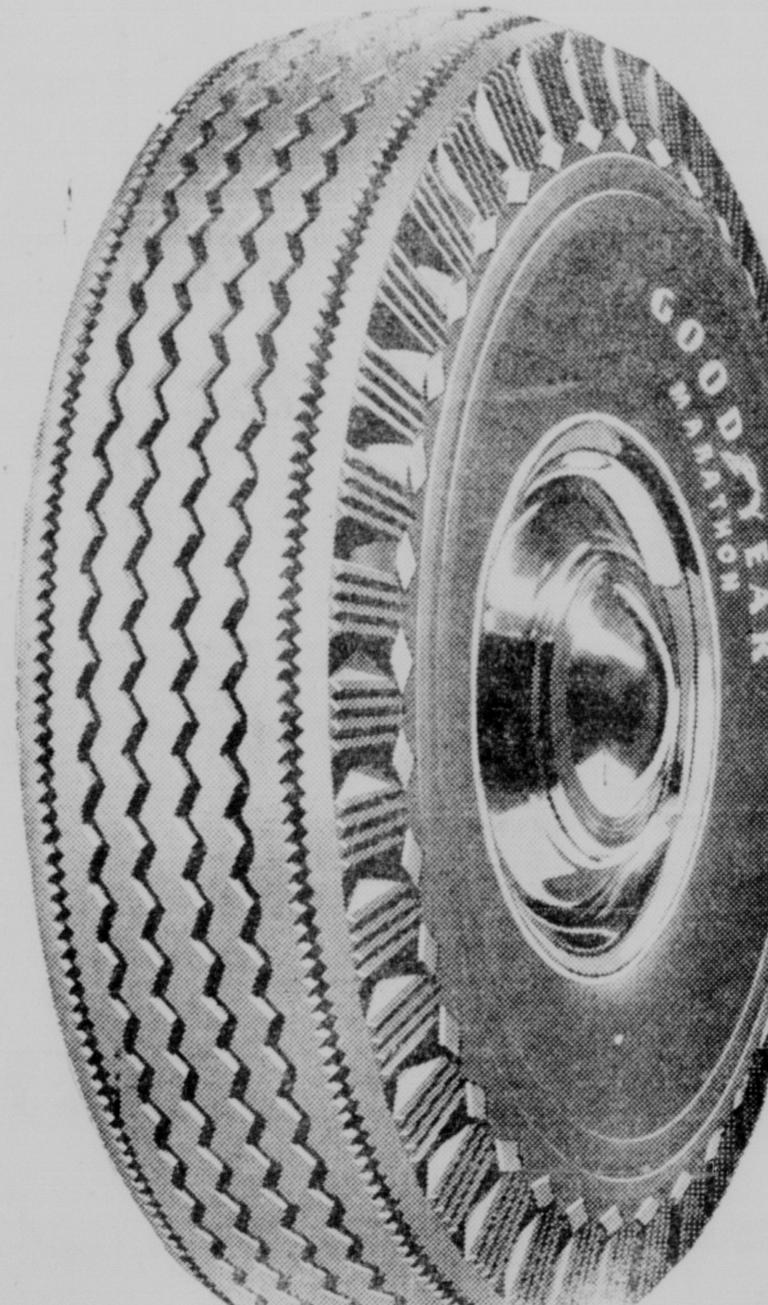


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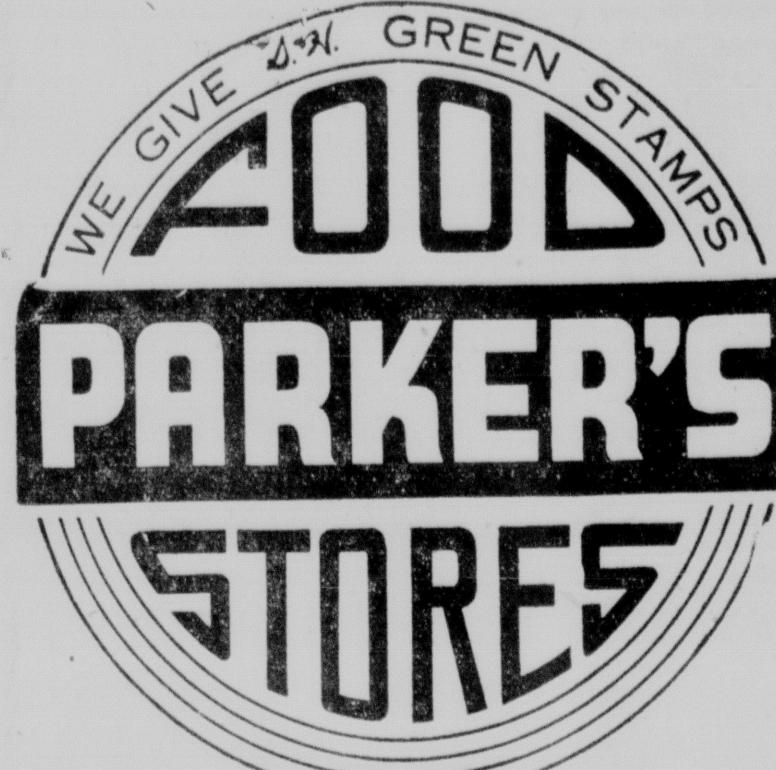
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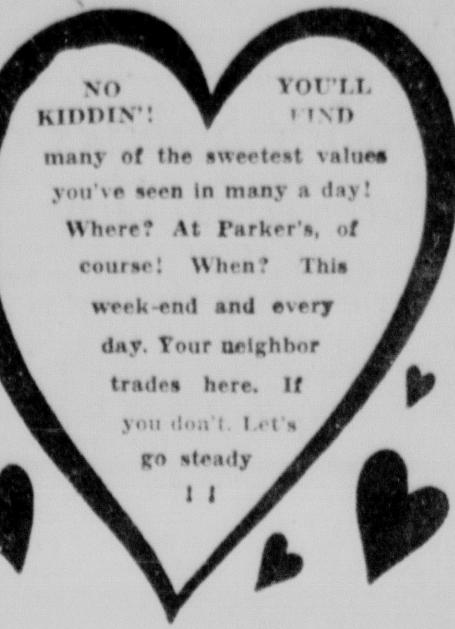


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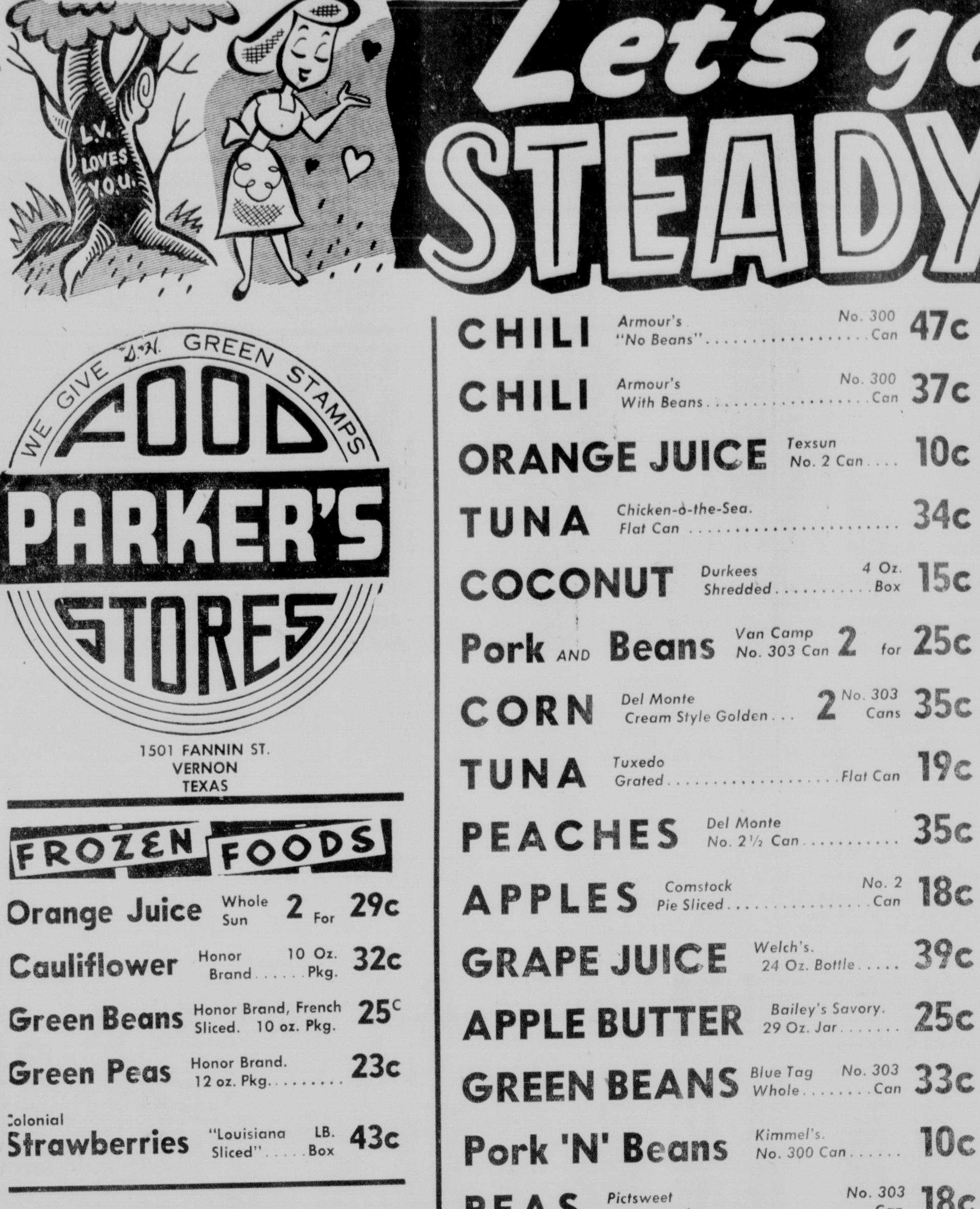
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Dallas Author Speaks at Laloli Club Guest Day

The Yamparika Clubhouse was the scene of the Laloli Club's annual Guest Day. Mrs. Estelle Blanton Barber of Dallas was presented in a program reviewing her own book, "Jesus in Portraits of Verse."

Mrs. Barber is the director of Christian education at the First Methodist Church in Dallas and is an authority in her field. She is also a member of the television staff of the church which presents a weekly television show. Her books on Christian education are in wide use all over the world. She is a popular speaker, having done approximately 70 radio, tele-

Annual Banquet Held Tuesday by Sodalitan Class

Members of the Sodalitan Class of the First Baptist Church enjoyed their annual Sweetheart Banquet Tuesday night in the dining hall of the church youth building. Husbands of the members were special guests.

The Valentine motif was used throughout the decorations with heart arrangements of red and white carnations on the speakers table and red roses on the banquet tables. Mrs. Gene Boyd and Mrs. F. F. Dixons were in charge of the decorations.

Hostesses for the occasion were the members of the social committee, Mesdames E. H. Whorton, Jr., Ross Hendricks, William L. Faskerville, J. W. Courtney and Paul Owen.

Approximately 75 members and guests were present.

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Following the business meeting, which was conducted by Mrs. Bill Riall, president, an enjoyable program of piano selections was presented by Norman Whitesel of Mt. Crawford, Va. Mr. Whitesel is the husband of a former member of the chapter, the former Miss Yvonne McNamara.

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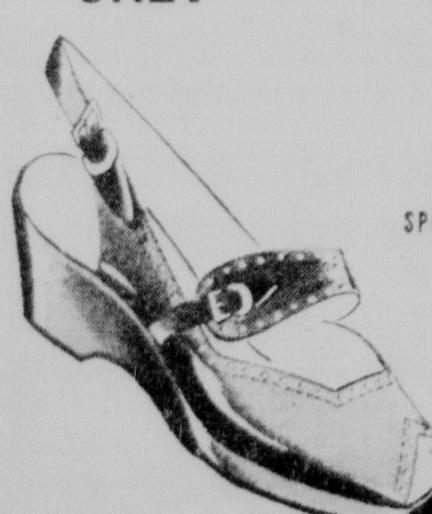
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Second Baptist WMU Has Program

The WMU of the Second Baptist Church met Monday afternoon for a Royal Service program.

The meeting opened with prayer by Mrs. Raymond Bagley. Mrs. Glen Reasor of the Aiko Taira Circle was in charge of the program on "Ministry of Prayer" and gave the introduction.

Following a group hymn, Mrs. W. A. Haire gave a reading accompanied by Mrs. L. L. Emmons at the piano. The reading was followed with slight prayer, concluded by Mrs. J. O. Kinsey. "Sweet Hour of Prayer" was sung by the group. The Aiko Taira Circle presented a playlet with Mesdames T. J. Davidson, Kinsey, Bagley, Emmons, E. H. Stogsdill and Haire taking part. Testimonies of five missionaries were given. The concluding portion of the program was presented by Mrs. Reasor.

Mrs. E. L. Blackburn, WMU president, conducted a short business session.

Mrs. Earl Mason played appropriate music as the club members and their guests arrived and were served refreshments of home-made cake and coffee.

The serving table was decorated with an imported linen cloth and a centerpiece of iris and Spring shrubbery. Other Spring flowers were used throughout the clubhouse.

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Ass'n. WMU Meet Held Tuesday at Calvary Baptist

A Baptist Associational WMU meeting was held Tuesday afternoon at the Calvary Baptist Church in connection with the monthly Associational Workers Conference.

Following a luncheon, the WMU meeting convened at one o'clock with Mrs. Roy Stonesifer presiding in the absence of the president, Mrs. George Snell.

The meeting was opened with songs and prayer. Mrs. Kade West presented a devotional on "Going About Doing Good," as applied to home mission work. A special musical number was given by Mrs. Lester Farr and Mrs. Wilson Collins, both of Odell. Mrs. H. H. Scherer of Fargo, Associational community missions chairman, reviewed a WMU study book on community mission work.

The attendance award of a mission study book was given to the Thalia society. A vote of thanks was extended to the Calvary Baptist Church for the meeting.

During the business session attendance of the District Convention at the First Baptist Church in Wichita Falls on March 4, was stressed. Announcement was made that Southwide WMU workers would be in this district to give instruction to each association at a date which will be announced later.

The meeting was closed with prayer, dismissing approximately 100 members.

First Baptist Ruth Class supper at 7 p. m. in the basement assembly room of the church. Husbands to be guests. The nursery will be open.

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The Lion's Den will be open for senior high members only from 7 to 11 p. m.

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A musical program was presented by Theta Rho girls and followed by a drill by all the Theta Rho girls. Twyla Parr played a piano solo; a humorous musical skit was presented by Sandra Clark and Rosemary Wendt; Frances and Betty Jones sang a duet; and a piano duet was played by Marsha Fields and Shirley Rogers.

A Valentine theme was carried out in the hall and table decorations for the event. Refreshments of pie and coffee were served to approximately 75 guests.

Mozart Club Has Program Meeting

The Mozart Club met Tuesday evening, Feb. 12, with Miss Beth Wright and Miss Maggie Ruth McBride acting as hostesses.

A brief business session was conducted by the president, Mrs. Jake Riggins. The club elected three new members, Mrs. James Keith, Miss Beatrice Ramsey and Mrs. G. F. Hemphill.

Mrs. H. T. Cardwell was program director for the evening. She introduced each number by telling something about the author and his compositions. Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Dugas played "Melody in F," by Rubinstein. A violin solo of "Liebestraume," by Liszt, was presented by Mrs. R. D. Beazley. She was accompanied by Mrs. Lawrence McCaleb. Concluding the program, Mrs. McCaleb played a piano selection, "Moonlight Sonata," by Beethoven.

Refreshment plates, colorfully decorated in a Valentine motif, were served by the hostesses to Miss Ruby McWilliams and Mesdames Beazley, Cardwell, Dugas, McCaleb, Bob Cates, Denton Rose, Riggins and Jim Whitfield.

Wesley Chapel Church Entertains Students

A deputation team of students from McMurry College was entertained last week-end by the Wesley Chapel Methodist Church in Lockett. Members of the team were Nelda Vaughter, Tommy Russell, Betty Foster, Orlo Mitchell and James Littlepage.

Advance sales on tickets will start Feb. 21. Tickets may be purchased from any classroom teacher; T. G. McCord, principal of Hawkins; or Mrs. Lew Groves, 2501 Tolar Street. Admission will be 40 cents for adults and 10 cents for children in grade school.

All of the proceeds of the show will be spent to drap the auditorium windows at Hawkins School so that the room may be blacked out for educational movies shown at the school. Only 2,000 tickets will be sold, and a seat will be assured upon purchase of a ticket.

A party was given for the team members Saturday night. The young people of the church and the members of the team were guests at a dinner in the Roscoe Wiseman home on Sunday.

All church services on Sunday were conducted by the McMurry students.

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Phillips Honors Four Employees

The Phillips Petroleum Company honored four of its long-time employees at a banquet held in the Canton Cafe banquet room here Wednesday night.

More than 40 employees of the company were present for the ceremony. A. Maloney, Claude Ramzy and J. G. Thomas, all of Grayback, were given Hamilton watches for their 25 years of service with the company.

Receiving a 20-year pin was Joe Taylor, also of Grayback. Master of ceremonies for the program was C. L. Montgomery, district superintendent of Wichita Falls.

Other Phillips officials present were G. J. Turner, division superintendent of Oklahoma City; John Daxon, with the industrial relations department, also of Oklahoma City, and L. B. Seymour of Wichita Falls, chief clerk.

Former Odell Student Is in Marine Corps

Billie G. Haynes, son of Mrs. L. W. Henderson of 2801 Pearl Street, is now undergoing training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, Calif.

The 23-year-old former Odell High School student was inducted in the Marine Corps at Albuquerque, N. M., recently.

During the eight-week "boot camp" as recruit training is commonly called, Private Haynes will become well versed in such basic military subjects as precision drill, first aid, Marine Corps history and mission and field tactics.

POPULATION DROPS
Berlin, Feb. 14. (AP)—Higher death rates and growing anti-Communism have dipped East Germany's population sharply in the last year, a survey showed today. The West Berlin Research Institute said the East Zone population has fallen to a new low of 17,300,000 and that at least a half million men, women and children have fled to the West in 1950 and 1951. Western Germany, in the meantime, has grown from 46 million several years ago to approximately 48 million now.

Gold Continues to Flow to United States From Europe

By SAM DAWSON

New York, Feb. 14. (AP)—Gold continues to flow from Europe to the U. S.

The French financial crisis revives talk of a possible devaluation of the franc, although the Paris Government stoutly denies it has any such plan.

The royal pageantry surrounding the ascension of a queen to Britain's throne has diverted attention from England's financial plight. But there are reports her gold and dollar reserves are continuing to drop, despite the strenuous efforts of the Churchill Government to halt it.

Britain has said that the gold and dollar reserves of the sterling area must top two billion dollars for "minimum safety." It is reported the January drain on her reserves pulled them below this figure.

The U. S. on the other hand, raked 236 million dollars more of gold during January. Since last July 1, this country has added \$1,241,000,000 to its store of gold.

In large part this was due to our booming foreign trade. Last year we sold more than 15 billion dollars worth of goods abroad. We bought nearly 11 billion dollars worth of foreign goods, a record for any one year.

But that four billion dollar difference is the trouble spot for the

rest of the world. It means they owe us four billion dollars over and above the amount of goods they were able to sell us. They pay the difference with gold—or with dollars that the U. S. taxpayer gives them in loans and grants.

Britain has cut back her buying from us drastically, but even so she had a trade deficit of 296 million dollars in January. France had a 100 million dollar trade deficit in January.

Both countries to lay most of the blame on the arms program which the U. S. sponsors for the free world. They charge, first, that we have cut back our buying of raw materials from them unnecessarily—citing tin and rubber stockpiling slowdowns in this country. And they charge, secondly, that we have raised the price of our raw materials which they must buy from us if they are to

rearm.

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Billy Graham Rakes Capital Over Coals

Washington, Feb. 14. (AP)—People in the time of Jesus Christ were "just like the men in Washington tonight," Evangelist Billy Graham said, except they missed the chance at salvation without knowing it.

An estimated 8,000 persons at the National Guard Armory last night heard the young preacher continue:

"The blood of this city won't be on my hands. For four solid weeks I've preached the gospel here, and I want to tell you there's one sin men won't be forgiven as long as the world lasts. That's turning down Jesus Christ when they had a chance to accept him."

Graham's capital crusade, begun Jan. 10, ends next Sunday.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

TIME FOR CONGRESS TO EMULATE PRESIDENT

Agreement seems to be fairly general that anywhere from \$8 to \$10 billion ought to be trimmed out of the budget recommendations of President Truman for the coming fiscal year. Both Republicans and Democrats in Congress have stated their convictions along this line, and logic would suggest that such a reduction not only can be done without seriously impairing any essential activity, either civil or military. If nothing else the signs that our economy will not stand the strain of spending approximately \$85 billion in the twelve months beginning next July.

If we cannot raise the money without wrecking our economy, then ways should be found to make the reductions. It is nonsense to argue that we cannot afford to assume the risks of bringing expenditures within the Government's income.

But Secretary of Defense Lovett went before a Congressional committee the other day and said the budget was cut to the irreducible minimum before it was sent to Congress. He said the original estimates of the military budget-makers called for spending \$80 billion on the army, navy and air force alone, not counting expenditures for other purposes. This figure was trimmed to about \$52 billion, according to Mr. Lovett.

That sort of reasoning is worse than useless. To be told that those who make up estimates for the armed forces really would like to have \$80 billion to spend in the coming fiscal year means nothing. Nobody ever would be able to satisfy the wishes of those whose only thought is to find ways of spending money. And the unfortunate aspect of this whole situation is that advocates of the huge spending program couch their requests in such an overwhelming mass of detail that nobody—literally nobody—has either time or the necessary understanding to be able to point out specific places where cuts can be made.

The budget that goes to Congress is a huge book. It contains hundreds of pages of figures and hundreds of thousands of items. What actually happens is that the President throws the book at Congress and says askings are at very minimum. What Congress should do is to throw the book right back at the President and tell him to have his experts cut about 20 per cent from the total. Any other procedure would be waste of time.

EISENHOWER SUPPORTERS FACE OBSTACLES

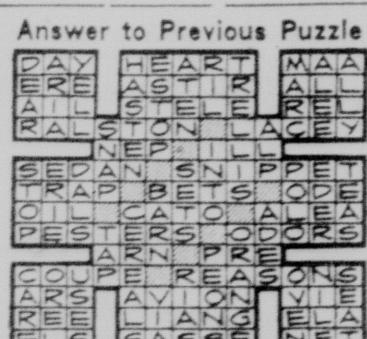
A serious blow was dealt to boosters of General Eisenhower for President the other day when it was announced that their candidate has no intention of returning to this country prior to the nominating conventions, around the middle of July. The General's campaign managers had been hoping that he would come home a few weeks ahead of the opening of the Republican national convention for the purpose of making appearances at a few strategic places.

In that way they hoped to stir up a wave of popular enthusiasm that would insure the nomination of their candidate. But several things are in the way. President Truman has stated General Eisenhower can get his release from active duty for the purpose of entering politics any time he requests it but that he will not voluntarily suggest that the General return home. He even went on to say he knows of no probable developments which would require a personal conference between himself and the commander of the Allied forces in Western Europe.

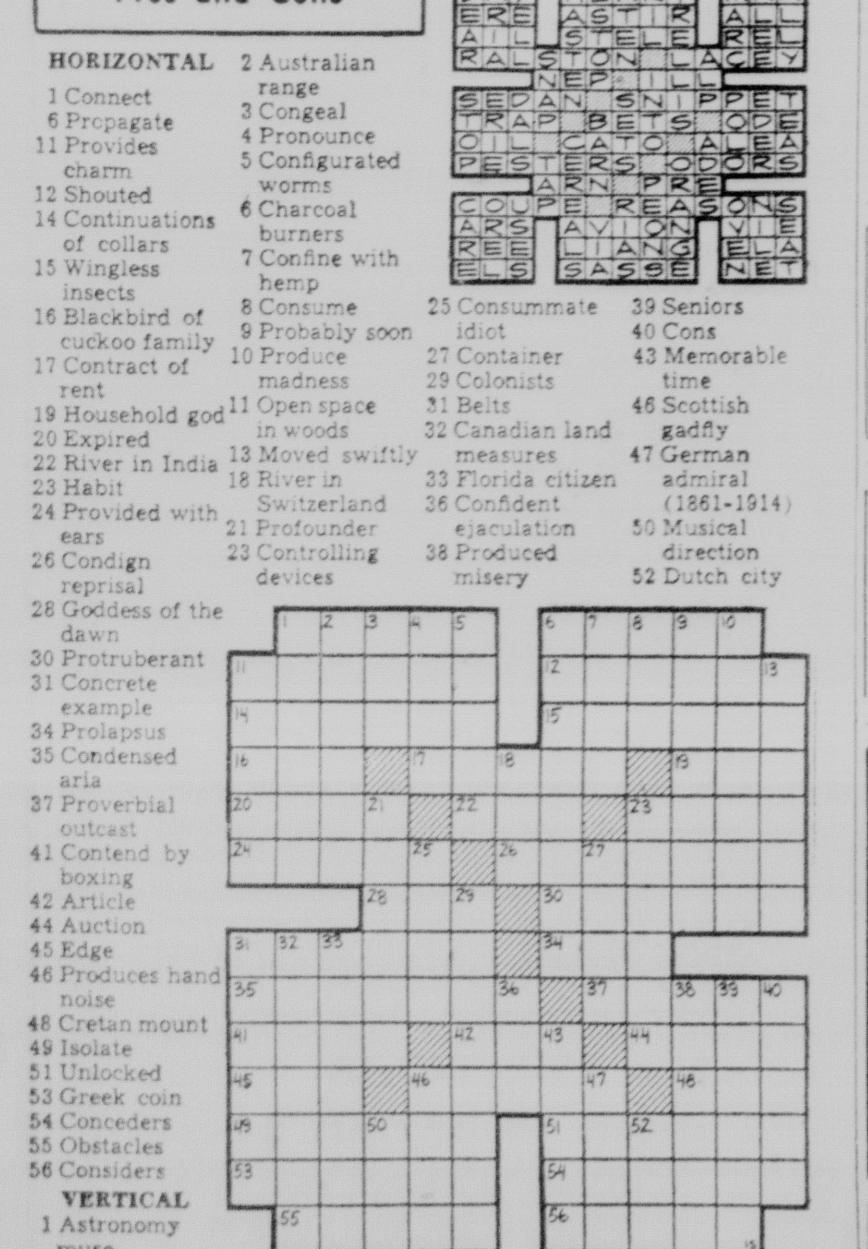
All these factors add up to a situation where General Eisenhower will stay at his post in Europe until he personally requests the President to release him. This fact probably explains why it was announced that General Eisenhower has no intention of coming home prior to the Republican national convention. If he should be nominated, of course, that would be a legitimate reason for asking to be relieved of his present command. On the other hand, considerable hazard is involved in any other procedure. He might come home and still fail to receive the nomination and he couldn't go around the country making speeches while still on active military duty.

Plainly the General is not being very helpful to his friends who are trying to elect him President of the United States. On the other hand, the present occupant of that office is not simplifying the problem.

Pros and Cons



Answer to Previous Puzzle



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Just a Matter of Taste

PRIMARIES ARE EYEWASH
—TRUMAN



Industry Fights Controls, Even as Truman Asks More

By SAM DAWSON

New York, Feb. 14. (AP)—Industry's drive to crawl out from under controls grows more clamorous. It coincides with President Truman's appeal for tighter controls.

But Arnall says, "We must not hasten headlong into decontrol." DiSalle, outgoing price stabilizer, has a committee studying decontrol. But it's hard to let go of a bear's tail without getting clawed. OPS wonders if it can let go of one industry without hurting other still-controlled industries it supplies.

Many products are selling below ceiling prices—when they sell. And the men who make and sell them contend that price controls are just nuisances. They also charge that the red-tape involved in keeping all the material control records and conforming to all the inventory regulations is costly and crippling to business.

In the demands for decontrol are representatives of the food industry, and makers of tires, textiles, clothing and shoes. And, surprisingly enough, the steel and lead industries say that their critically scarce products are moving over into the category of abundance.

The President, however, says that inflation may soon be a threat again. He wants tighter controls to hold down the cost of living and warns Congress: "Most people are already having trouble paying present prices. For their benefit, we should be working, not to legislate formulas for raising prices, but instead to find ways of moving prices downward, as increasing productivity and more production makes that possible."

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12:30-Music of Hill & Plain.
12:45-Party Line.
1:00-PTA Program.
1:30-Hymns of the Ages.
2:00-Western Hits.
3:25-New (MBS).
3:30-Western Hits.
4:00-Platter Parade.
5:00-Green Hornet (MBS).
5:30-Clyde Beatty (MBS).
5:45-Tex Fletcher (MBS).
6:00-Fulton Lewis, Jr. (MBS)

Friday Night

6:15-Spotlight On Sports.
6:30-Gabriel Heatter (MBS).
6:45-Young Baptist Church.
7:00-Chess King.
7:30-Orchestra (MBS).
7:45-Football Game.
10:00-Sign Off.

Saturday Morning

7:00-Trading Post.
7:15-The Altar in the Sky.
7:30-News.
7:45-Popular Hits.
8:00-Alarm Clock Club.
8:30-Sunrise of Sunlight.
9:30-Leslie Nichols (MBS).
9:45-Helen Hall Fenn Fair (MBS).
10:00-Georgia Crackers (MBS).
10:15-Pete and Amy Field Band (MBS).
11:30-Music Lesson.
11:35-3-D Roundup.
11:30-Music.

12:00-Man on the Farm (MBS).

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2:30-National Guard Show.
2:45-Music.
3:00-Carer Time.
4:00-Navy Program.
4:15-Music.
4:30-Worldly We Hall.
5:00-Harmony Rangers (MBS).
5:30-Preston Sellers (MBS).
6:00-Al Heifer's Sports Digest (MBS).

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6:15-Twin Views of the News (MBS).
6:30-Comedy of Errors (MBS).
6:50-Cecil Brown (MBS).
7:00-Twenty Questions (MBS).
8:00-Hawaii Calls (MBS).
8:30-Lombardo Land USA (MBS).
9:00-Chicago Theater of the Air (MBS).
10:00-Sign Off.

COOKING'S FUN!

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Artichokes with Browned Butter
Spaghetti and Meat Balls
Crusty French Bread
Tossed Green Salad
Beverage

Spaghetti and Meat Balls

Ingredients: 1 pound ground chuck beef, 1 cup buttered soft bread crumbs, 1 tablespoon finely diced onion, 1 1/2 teaspoons salt, 1/2 teaspoon pepper, 2 tablespoons butter or margarine, 2 garlic cloves (peeled and minced), 1 No. 2 1/2 can tomatoes (strained), one 6-ounce can tomato paste, 1 beef bouillon cube, 1 bay leaf, 1 pound thin spaghetti (cooked and drained).

Method: Mix together beef, buttered bread crumbs, onion, 1/2 teaspoon salt, and pepper. Shape into 12 to 18 balls. Melt butter in large skillet and add garlic; add meat balls and brown slowly on all sides until cooked through. Remove meat from pan. Add strained tomatoes, tomato paste, bouillon cube, bay leaf, parsley and 1 teaspoon salt to drippings in pan. Simmer 50 to 60 minutes, stirring occasionally. Remove bay leaf. Add meat balls and heat

thoroughly. Serve over hot spaghetti. Makes 6 servings.

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Special Green Salad

Ingredients: 2 cups torn mixed salad green, 2-3 cup sliced cucumber, 1-3 cup short strips Swiss cheese, 6 large black olives, 2 to 3 tablespoons French dressing, salt and freshly-ground pepper (to taste).

Method: Escarole, chicory, and romaine make a particularly good combination of greens for this salad; wash, dry thoroughly, and tear into mouth-size pieces; in measuring pack down lightly. Put greens, cucumber, and Swiss cheese into salad bowl. Cut olives from pits in large pieces and add with 2 tablespoons French dressing. Mix carefully but thoroughly with spoon and fork, taste and add extra French dressing and salt and pepper if needed.

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"COULD be," Fred said, answering Peter, "because the dick let me know that somebody else gave him a different interpretation of our being at that meeting. I thought at the time he meant Cota—who else is gunning for you?" nobody. Anyhow, I swore up and down that we thought it was going to be a Democratic rally. And I took the opportunity of mentioning Cota's vested interests in some slum properties downtown. The dick had already quizzed me on your interest in slum clearance. He could put two and two together."

"I doubt if that's cut much ice, though I appreciate your efforts, Fred," Peter said. "No, I'm afraid it looks pretty bad for me now. Prety bad."

"Why?" Jennet demanded. "I don't get this. What is this about the Templar person? Tell me!"

She resumed her seat at Peter's side. She put her hand on his thigh and he remembered fat pink fingers with aseptic square-cut nails and he could not cover her pale, blue-veined one. Hands, like their owners, different from each other, different as moonlight from the vulgarity of noon. "Some protest I signed at a meeting this dame held in her apartment last spring," he said. "She was a social worker at Angels. She asked me to come to hear Kelly speak. I took Fred along. We didn't catch on at first, but it turned out to be a Communist meeting."

"But you only went there," Jennet argued. "Anyone can sign a protest. You didn't join anything. You didn't do anything."

Peter didn't look at Fred. He leveled his glance at the wide gold wedding band on her finger. It was still bright from the polishing cloth of the Mexican jeweler. "No,

"It's like being one of a minor-

"Ity," she said. "All of a sudden, Peter, you and I are a minority." She saw the riveted face of Maxwell Cota nod to her over the rim of a martini glass, she saw it backed by a field of faces over glasses, and she threw her own glass into the menacing blur of closed faces. The fantasy thickened her blood. She felt mean enough, maternal enough to kill. "I'd like to take a gun and kill that Maxwell Cota, she said.

HE jumped up suddenly, began to pace, his arms folded on his chest.

"Then what are you worried about?" she asked.

He wheeled about, narrowly regarding her as once he had done before, long before, making a stranger of her.

"About the record in Washington of my presence at a Communist meeting."

The flat, almost patient, drumbeats of his primary statement hit Jennet at last. Under the pounding, the dream of honeymoon slipped away. Up till now, she suddenly realized, she had been merely going through the motions of concern. The joke-worn initials, FBI, had not yielded up the proper threatening sound. She had been making housewifey obeisance to a doom which had seemed not only equivocal but unlikely. Legal injustices occurred from time to time, of course. You heard of these things. You read of them, clucked your tongue over them, sighed and turned to the movie page. Like motor accidents, like wifebeatings, tornados, crimes, these things happened every day, but they did not happen to you. Only to others. Until now. Now it was happening to her, and she felt the blood turn cool, sick, run thin through her body.

She couldn't bear the sight of Peter pacing, hugging himself. She turned her obliterated gaze on Fred Chaney, saw the deep-lined forehead, the sad, bloodshot eyes, the pained slash of mouth, the fine hands on the neat knees, rubbing, rubbing, back and forth—for comfort? a form of thumb-sucking? Who had the right to turn grown men into fearful boys?

She gave him a small, secret smile or delight. "So was I."

(To Be Continued)

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Mandalay, Burma, (AP)—Starvation has beset some 3,000 weavers in the Amarapura area, it has been reported. The reason given for the reported famine is the closing down of a number of handloom factories. In order to keep their children fed, parents are reported to be starving themselves on alternate days. Although contributions of rice have been sent to the stricken area, the situation is said to be worsening.

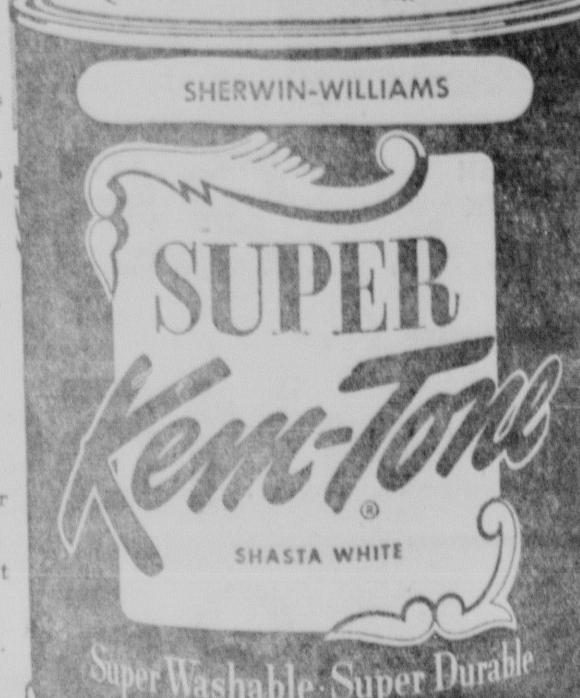
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